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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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Attorney Docket No. LCB380

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Title Seismically Resistant Network...

Express Mail Label No. EL 804741061 US

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2.  Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3.  Specification [Total Pages 14]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [ Total Sheets 8 ]

5. Oath or Declaration [ Total Pages 2 ]

a.  Newly executed (original or copy)  
Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
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- a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
- b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
  - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
  - ii.  paper
- c.  Statements verifying identity of above copies

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))  
37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney  
10.  (when there is an assignee)  Attorney

11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)  
Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS Citations

12.  Preliminary Amendment

13.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)

14.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)

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(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35  
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17.  Other: .....

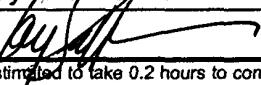
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(2) Fee Transmittal Form (in duplicate);  
(3) Specification (14 pp.);  
(4) Drawings (8 pp.);  
(5) Declaration (2 pp.);  
(6) Power of Attorney (1 p.);  
(7) Assignment Cover Sheet (1 p.);  
(8) Assignment (3 pp.);  
(9) Information Disclosure Statement (2 pp.);  
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